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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant: RAWNICK, et al.  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 111**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action of September 10, 2003. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:


**Amendments to the drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper and include three replacement sheets.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 3 of the Response.

**Remarks and arguments** begin on page 9 of the Response.

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**Amendments To The Drawings**

The attached sheets include changes to Figs. 1, 3, 4, 5 and 6. The figures on the replacement sheets are provided with appropriate drawing corrections. These sheets replace the original sheets including Figs. 1, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

Attachment : 3 Replacement Sheets